The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Board) and the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) (together, the Agencies) have reviewed the resolution plan submission (2018 Plan) that Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria, S.A. (Covered Company) submitted in December 2018, as required by section 165(d) ofthe Dodd Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act.1 and the jointly issued Resolution Plan Rule.2 The Agencies did not identify shortcomings or deficiencies in the Covered Company’s 2018 Plan as a result ofthis review.

In April 2019, the Agencies invited comment on a proposal (Proposal) to modify the Resolution Plan Rule that would, among other things, adjust the scope of application, submission timeframe, and plan content requirements. [Footnote 3 Until the Agencies finalize the Proposal in a final rule (Final Rule), the current Resolution Plan Rule continues to apply to the Covered Company, including any provisions relating to the next resolution plan submission date.

Accordingly, the Agencies have jointly determined that the Covered Company's next resolution plan submission will be due on July 1, 2021, or such other date thatmay be specified when the Agencies adopt the Final Rule. The Covered Company should refer to the Final Rule forthe content requirements ofitssubsequent resolution plan submission.

[ Redacted. ] While the 2018 Plan identifiestwo alternative providers to Aplica, neither alternative was detailed beyond identification ofthese two parties. No analyses such astimelines, transitional challenges, or financial considerations were provided to [ Redacted. ] The next resolution plan should describe how the Covered Company has addressed [ Redacted. ]

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Endnote:

1 12 U.S.C. § 5365(d)

2 12 CFR Part 243 (Board) and 12 CFR Part 381 (FDIC).

3 Resolution Plans Required. 84 FR 21600 (May 14, 2019), https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2019/05/14/2019-08478/resolution-plans-required